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**PETITION AND FEE FOR TWO MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME**  
**(37 CFR 1.136(a))**

Assistant Commissioner of Patents  
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Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated June 4, 2001 for two months from July 4, 2001 to September 4, 2001. The extended time for response does not exceed the statutory period.

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